

Amendments to the Claims:

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A stamp comprising:

a first print body which is fixed to a main body case and has a first print face for forming a print image;

a second print body which has an exposure hole through which the first print face is exposed and a second print face for forming the print image together with the first print face exposed through the exposure hole;

a restricting member which holds the second print body and restricts a distance in which the second print face is compressed when the main body case is pressed down at the time of making stamp;

a holding member which holds the second print body from an opposite side of the second print face;

a frame member which nips the second print body with the holding member such that the second print face is exposed; and

a damper member which makes contact with the main body case and the frame member, wherein:

the restricting member includes the frame member and the damper member and when stamping is made, the damper member is compressed so that the frame member is pressed down and the exposed second print face is compressed until the frame member comes into contact with a stamping object medium; and

the holding member is located at a lower position in the stamp apart by a gap from the damper member; and

a face of the damper member on an opposite side of a flange of the main body case makes contact with an end of the frame member.

~~the damper member has greater flexibility in a stamping force direction than the exposed second print face.~~

2. (Canceled)

3. (Previously Presented) The stamp according to claim 1 wherein the first print face is disposed at a position receding from the second print face in an opposite direction of the stamping direction when no stamping is made, and the damper member is compressed so that the first print face and the second print face become flush with each other when the main body case is pressed down at the time of making stamp.

4. (Original) The stamp according to claim 1 further comprising an elastic member which makes contact with the main body case and the first print body,

wherein the elastic member is compressed so that the first print face and the second print face become flush with each other when the main body case is pressed down at the time of making stamp.

5. (Canceled)

6. (Previously Presented) The stamp according to claim 1, wherein compression of the exposed second print face is restricted at a position where the frame member makes contact with the stamping object medium because the damper member keeps contact with only the main body case and the frame member.

7. (Canceled)

8. (Currently Amended) The stamp according to ~~claim 7, claim 1,~~ wherein: the gap is configured such that the damper member is prevented from making contact with the holding member and when stamping is made the main body case applies force in the stamping force direction such that the holding member is not pressed directly

although the damper member is compressed and the frame member is pressed against the stamping object medium.